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SUBJECT: UNESCO: MEASURES TO ASSURE PROMPT PAYMENT
OF ASSESSMENTS

REF: (A) STATE 209227, (B) PARIS 28048

1. FRG OFFICIAL (GRUENDEL) WHO PREPARED REPORT ON
MEASURES TO ENCOURAGE PROMPT PAYMENT, CONFESSED THAT
HE DRAFTED THE REPORT UNWILLINGLY, AND WILL PRESENT IT
TO EXECUTIVE BOARD IN LOW-KEY MANNER WITHOUT PRESSING.
AS FAR AS HE IS CONCERNED HE WOULD JUST AS SOON FORGET
THE ENTIRE EXERCISE.

2. GRUENDEL WAS ALREADY AWARE OF THE 25 PERCENT PROB-
LEM THAT A FINE WOULD POSE FOR THE U.S. AND WONDERED
IF THERE MIGHT BE SOME WAY IN WHICH A FINE COULD BE
INCLUDED IN A FUTURE YEAR'S ASSESSMENT, THUS BRINGING
IT TECHNICALLY WITHIN THE 25 PERCENT CEILING. DELOFF
EXPRESSED DOUBTS THAT THIS SUBTERFUGE WOULD BE
ACCEPTABLE TO INTERESTED PARTIES IN WASHINGTON.

3. WE DO NOT BELIEVE THIS REPORT WAS AN FRG PERMDEL
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